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RESPONSE AND REMARKS D

In response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2006, please enter the following remarks.

REMARKS

The Office Action has set forth a new rejection of claim 8. The rejection was necessitated by any amendment. Moreover, several of Applicant's arguments set forth in the previous response were not addressed by the Examiner. For example, although the Examiner

Objective 1/07